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**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME;
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS; AND
SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully petition the Director for Patents for a one-month extension of time up to and including August 12, 2004, to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 12, 2004 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. A check for payment of for \$110.00 for the extension fee is submitted herewith.

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION**

Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" ("Notice") mailed May 12, 2004, Applicant submits herewith an executed declaration and the late declaration surcharge of \$130.00.

SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Applicant also submits herewith fifteen (15) sheets of replacement drawings (Figs. 1, 12, 13, 14, 15-22, 33, 34, and 36) in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.84 and 1.121 for the above-identified patent application. It is respectfully submitted that these replacement drawings cure the deficiencies noted in the Notice. Accordingly, the Official Draftsperson is kindly requested to acknowledge receipt and indicate approval in the next Patent Office communication. No fee is believed due in connection with this filing. However, if it is determined otherwise, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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Submitted herewith is a check totaling \$280.00 (~~\$130.00~~) to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Joint Declaration; \$110.00 to cover the fee for the one-month Extension of Time, and \$40.00 to cover Assignment recordation). In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the PTO charges, please charge or credit any difference to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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